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STATUS REQUEST

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicants respectfully request that the status of the above-referenced application be determined by the Examiner. In the above-referenced application, our Response to Advisory Action was electronically filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark on July 21, 2006 for which we received an Electronic Acknowledgement Receipt. However, the Response to Advisory Action was never entered by the U.S. Patent Office. According to a telephone call to Supervising Examiner Milton Cano on January 23, 2007, he indicated that the U.S. Patent Office would send us a communication informing us of the status of the application. To date, we have

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not received any such communication. Please advise the undersigned as to the status of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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